

Please amend claim 2 as follows:

2. (Amended) The laminated extruded resin sheet comprising a methyl methacrylate resin according to Claim 1, wherein the methyl methacrylate resin contained in the resin layer (A) and the methyl methacrylate resin contained in the resin layer (B) [is a] are [resin] resins containing 50% by weight or more of a methyl methacrylate polymer or a copolymer comprising 50% by weight or more of methyl methacrylate unit and a monofunctional unsaturated monomer unit as a constituent unit.

REMARKS

As a preliminary matter, Applicant notes that the Form PTO-1449 of September 28, 1998 has not been initialed by the Examiner and returned to Applicant. The Examiner's cooperation in returning an initial copy of the Form PTO-1449 with the next communication from the Patent Office would be appreciated.

Applicant respectfully requests entry of the above claim amendments. These amendments are directed to matters of form. Amended claim 2 responds to the formality rejection under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph. The similar formality rejection of claims 13 and 14 is moot as those claims have been canceled. The objection to claim 4 should be overcome upon entry of new claim 16. New claim 16 corresponds to claim 4 as previously presented. These amendments introduce no new issues, reduce existing issues, and require no new search. Accordingly, their entry for purposes of a possible appeal is earnestly but most sincerely and respectfully requested.

Upon entry of this Amendment, claims 1, 2, 5, 8-12, 15 and 16 will be pending.